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Professional illusionist and world-record holding card thrower Rick Smith Jr. reports that he has just completed filming a segment on the CBS Late Late Show with host James Corden.

Appearing on one of the show's recurring segments known as Bar 56 Tricks, a segment which showcases prominent entertainment figures looking to put their best acts on display (and which Corden considers his favorite in which to take part), Smith performed a number of his magic tricks and stunts in front of Corden and a live studio audience. In accordance with the show's tradition, a performer who wins over the crowd will "win a seat at the bar."

While the show has featured a wide variety of performers in the past including a "Human Spider" and a keyboardist who plays with his mouth, Smith's original card-throwing routine is a first for Bar 56 Tricks entertainers. Having earned a spot at the bar, Smith joins the ranks of talented entertainers and performers who have successfully debuted on the show.

The segment, which will appear as part of the episode airing on Sept 5th at 12:30am, will also be available on Corden's YouTube Channel.

About Rick Smith Jr.

Smith, who has appeared on live television for programs including "The Ellen DeGeneres Show," "The Tonight Show," and "Shark Tank," holds three Guinness World Records for throwing a playing card the furthest, fastest and highest. Combining this unique talent with his decades of experience in magic and comedy, he has spent the past twenty years travelling the world and performing for audiences of all sizes. He performs at over 600 events each year, continuing to add new acts to his team as his national and global notoriety have grown. Along with running his own private for-profit business, Smith is the founder and headliner for his



charitable scholastic fundraising organization, Magic Gives Back. Through Magic Gives Back, Smith has raised thousands of dollars to support American public schools via performances at school districts around the country.

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